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## News Releases

### The Rudder: Navy Medical Service Corps Selects NMRC Own as Navy Medicine's Physiology Officer of the Year 2016

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Lieutenant Joshua Swift, Deputy Department Head, Undersea Medicine, Naval Medical Research Center, Silver

Spring was selected as Navy Medicine's Physiology Officer of the Year for 2016

Courtesy Navy Medical Service Corps

SILVER SPRING, Md. – Lieutenant Joshua Swift was selected as Navy Medicine's Physiology Officer of the Year for 2016 as a testament to his outstanding research expertise, strong organizational skills, and impressive leadership and mentoring ability.

Swift serves as Deputy Department Head, Undersea Medicine, Naval Medical Research Center, Silver Spring, Maryland. He distinguished himself in the specialty and MSC community with strong, positive leadership as a mentor of multiple junior officers at the command and as an active member across our community including his recent selection as a member of the Medical Service Corps e-Mentoring Strategic Goal Group.

Swift demonstrated solid command contributions through local leadership roles, numerous collateral duties, and documented success as a Department of the Navy (DoN) researcher. He expeditiously expanded research at his command with far-reaching operational impact, including ground and aviation hypoxia. He also served as a subject matter expert reviewer in multiple capacities across a range of programmatic directives for the Department of Defense. His research successes included multiple peer-reviewed publications, which added validated expertise to his operationally impactful research studies.

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[NMRC Deputy Director for Infectious Diseases Presents on Medical Research in the U.S. Navy at Alma Mater](#)

[Physical Activity May Diminish Risk of Mood Disorders in Genetically Predisposed Individuals](#)

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[Military Medicine Provides 'World-Class Solutions for Combat Casualties'](#)

[NAMRU-3 Vector Biology Teams Up with Nigerian Federal Ministry of Health Center Colleagues](#)

[R&D Chronicles: The Mosquito Fighters, Part XII: The Quest for Medicine's Holy Grail](#)

[Naval Medical Research Center 2016 Junior Officer of the Year](#)

[NHRC Researcher Studies Impact of Operational Postures on Low Back Pain](#)

[Naval Medical Research Center Welcomes New Director for Field Laboratory Operations](#)

[NAMRU-2 Establishes Regional Reference Laboratory in Cambodia](#)

As a leader in his department, Swift’s work greatly facilitated and enhanced the overall work-effort and impact of his department as a whole. Swift is a future DoN leader, and has demonstrated an impressive dedication to the Navy Medical Service Corps and Physiology Specialty mission and an unmatched commitment to Navy values.

- Navy Medicine Researchers Focus on Monitoring the Immune System to Diagnose and Treat Traumatic Injuries
- Navy Lab Opens a State of the Art Insectary in the Amazon Region of Peru
- New Bio-Informatics Software Allows for Interactive, Real-Time Analysis of Sequence Data
- Millennium Cohort Study Examines Self-Reported Back Pain and Combat Deployment
- R&D Chronicles: The Mosquito Fighters, Part XI: Malaria in the Dragon’s Den, 1964-1975

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